



Cynthia Wicks

April 13, 1959 - July 19, 2023

Grovertown-It is with heavy hearts and profound sadness that we announce the passing of Cynthia Wicks, who departed this world on July 19th, 2023, at the Ernestine Raclin Hospice House in Mishawaka following a courageous battle with cancer.

Cindi, as she was known by those closest to her, was born on April 13th, 1959 in Plymouth, IN to Fred and Elaine (Anderson) Koppenhofer. She grew up in Grovertown, where she developed a strong foundation of love and compassion that would resonate throughout her life.

On August 26th of 1978, she married Daniel Wicks at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Donaldson, where she was a member. A beautiful soul, she loved the outdoors, attending wine and canvas events with her family, and making others laugh with witty comebacks. Cindi spent more time behind the camera than in front of it; capturing life's important moments so the rest of us could look back on them. One of Cindi's favorite things was spending Friday nights on the patio, listening to music, and watching the sunset with her husband Dan. She cherished life's simple pleasures and watching her daughters grow into successful young women, always acting as their biggest cheerleader.

She is survived by her husband Dan of Grovertown; two daughters: Amy (Jim) Newman of Babcock Ranch, FL, and Tricia (Tyler) Rees of Plainfield, IN; four

grandchildren Callisia Newman, Xyris Newman, Acer Newman, and Brody Rees; parents Fred and Elaine Koppenhofer of Grovertown; and two sisters Laura (Dan) Walser of Raleigh, NC, and Cheryl (Terry) Minix of Grovertown.

The legacy of Cindi will forever live on in the hearts of her husband, daughters, grandchildren, and all who knew her. Her love and teachings will continue to inspire and shape their lives for generations to come.

The family extends their heartfelt gratitude to all who have offered their condolences and support during this difficult time. In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations be made to the Ernestine Raclin Hospice House in Mishawaka.

There will be a Gathering of Family and Friends from 2:00 to 3:00 CDT Saturday, July 29th, 2023 at the Rannells Funeral Home, Koontz Lake Chapel. A Memorial Service will follow at 3:00 CDT at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Gathering of Family & Friends

JUL 29. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Rannells Funeral Home - Koontz Lake Chapel
7984 N. State Road 23
Walkerton, IN 46574
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<https://www.rannellsfuneralhome.com>

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

JW

“ I am truly saddened to hear about the passing of Cynthia. May she rest in peace.

John Wojtowicz - August 03, 2023 at 02:49 PM

RO

“ Rosalie and Jamie O'Rourke purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cynthia Wicks.



Rosalie and Jamie O'Rourke - July 29, 2023 at 08:13 AM

RO

“ Rosalie and Jamie O'Rourke planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Wicks.

Rosalie and Jamie O'Rourke - July 29, 2023 at 08:13 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cynthia Wicks.



July 28, 2023 at 04:25 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cynthia Wicks.



July 28, 2023 at 08:42 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cynthia Wicks.

July 28, 2023 at 08:42 AM



“ Cindy and Amy Wicks are in large part a reason my daughter Nicole (Hartkemeyer) Duffala ended up going to Rose Hulman Institute of Technology and is now a successful Mechanical Engineer. They took her down to Rose-Hulman for the first time to visit and Nicole never wanted to go anywhere else
Thanks to Cindy and Amy Wicks. I am forever grateful. So rest in peace. You made a difference in my daughter's life. THANK YOU!

Patricia Hartkemeyer - July 27, 2023 at 01:54 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Cynthia Wicks.



July 27, 2023 at 10:33 AM

GP

“ I remember Cindy working at Koppenhofers for many years. Such a very enthusiastic, personable, business woman Being most often the guiding light for customers in the Lumber trade.
Condolences to her husband Dan going thru this process of grieving losing his best friend and the mother of their children💕
My Deepest Sympathy to all her family and friends. May the perpetual light of Guidance shine on her soul and light the way forever 🕊

Gary F Pancek - July 26, 2023 at 02:52 PM

SP

“ I m so sorry for your loss. Cynthia and Kim Clark would always have their skid row of books between their desks. Cynthia always had a beautiful smile.. she always kind to me as she was to others . R I P my beautiful friend .. Shannon Lehiy Preston



shannon preston - July 26, 2023 at 01:01 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Cynthia Wicks.



July 24, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cynthia Wicks.

July 24, 2023 at 11:32 PM

CH

“ *Cindy Howard lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Wicks*



Cindy Howard - July 24, 2023 at 04:11 PM

LB

Fred and Elaine..I remember Cindi as a darling, dark-haired, little girl, at church. I am so sorry for your loss. You all will be in my prayers for strength and comfort.

Linda Drews Benjamin - July 24, 2023 at 09:40 PM

BB

“ *To the Wick Family
Our deepest condolences. We knew Cynthia thru Farmers Mutual she was a very kind person. Bless you Cynthia now may you fly with the angels 🌹*



Bruce and Janis Bottorff - July 24, 2023 at 02:04 PM

PN

“ *Pamela Van Ness lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Wicks*



Pamela Van Ness - July 24, 2023 at 01:55 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cynthia Wicks.

July 24, 2023 at 10:38 AM



“ Nina McCoy lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Wicks



Nina McCoy - July 23, 2023 at 07:18 PM



“ Wicks and Koppenhofer families, I'm saddened and shocked by this difficult news. My family will be praying for all of you in the days and years ahead. I will miss her as I think about typing class, driver's education, our walks, and her visit to me when my Dad died. She was one of the first people at my door that day. Love, Lita, Rick and our family

Lita Hall - July 22, 2023 at 08:32 PM



“ We're so sorry to heard of Cindy's passing. Hugs to her family. Matthew & Christine Lotter

Matthew & Christine Lotter - July 20, 2023 at 07:56 PM